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In re Patent Application of

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For: NUCLEIC ACID AND AMINO ACID
SEQUENCES RELATING TO
ENTEROBACTER CLOACAE FOR
THERAPEUTICS

) Group Art Unit: 1645

) Examiner: V. Portner

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to Official Action dated February 22, 2001:

one month to June 22, 2001; the extension fee is:

\$55.00 (215) \$110.00 (115).

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated

An extension fee in the amount of \$ 55.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

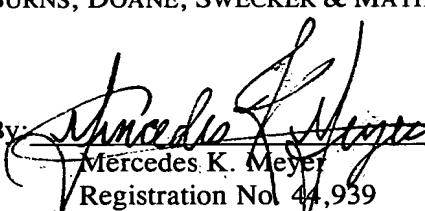
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